PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 474

SENATE BILL NO. 1371

By Haynes, Marrero

Substituted for: House Bill No. 1303

By West

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 48, Chapter 101, Part 5, relative to solicitation of charitable funds.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 48-101-504, is amended in subsection (b) by adding the following language to the end thereto:

Provided, that bona fide Indian organizations whose principal purpose is to assist and promote the welfare of Indians shall be exempt from such registration fee. For the purposes of this subsection, a bona fide Indian organization shall be one that has been in existence for more than twenty (20) years and that carries out programs and provides services to federally-recognized Indians.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: June 7, 2007

PEAKER OF THE SENATE

RON RAMSEY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 21st day of June 2007

